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METHODS FOR ENCAPSULATION AND MICROCAPSULES PRODUCED THEREBY

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR VERKAPSELUNG UND DARAUS HERGESTELLTE MIKROKAPSELN

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PROCÉDÉ D'ENCAPSULATION ET MICROCAPSULES AINSI PRODUITES

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2015063015A1] The invention relates to methods for encapsulating a material comprising the steps of: (a) providing an aqueous solution or suspension of the material that is to be encapsulated, (b) warming the aqueous solution or suspension to a temperature that is sufficient to enable dissolution of a first biocompatible polymer in the aqueous solution or suspension without adversely affecting the properties of the material to be encapsulated, (c) dissolving the first biocompatible polymer in the aqueous solution or suspension, (d) de-aerating the solution or suspension obtained in step (c), (e) emulsifying the solution or suspension obtained in (d) in a biocompatible oil comprising a surfactant to create microdroplets, and (f) hardening the microdroplets by dropwise addition of an aqueous solution comprising Zn2+ ions and a second biocompatible polymer to form microcapsules; the invention further relates to microcapsules obtained by methods of the invention and their uses.

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